

## DRAFT AGENDA WATER RESOURCES ADVISORY COMMISSION Lake Okeechobee Workshop



KOA Campground of Lake Okeechobee Resort 4276 S. Hwy. 441 Okeechobee, Florida 34974

February 21, 2002 8:30 am

There Will Be Opportunities for Public Comment After Each Presentation

| 8:30 am              | 1.                    | Welcome   | Mike Collins, Chairperson   | 15p   |
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| 8:45 am              | 2.                    | <ul> <li>Old Business</li> <li>Member Issues</li> <li>Review Meeting agendas for March, April &amp; May</li> </ul>  | Mike Collins, Chairperson   | 25 min.                                       |
| 9:10 am              | 3.                    | <ul> <li>Lake Okeechobee Protection Plan</li> <li>Overview of Legislation &amp; Current Lake Status</li> <li>Update on Phase I of LO Construction Project</li> <li>In-Lake Restoration Activities</li> <li>Watershed Phosphorus Control Strategies</li> <li>Agricultural BMPs</li> <li>Non-agricultural BMPs</li> <li>Research &amp; Monitoring</li> <li>Long Term Goals</li> <li>Overall Discussion BREAK</li> </ul> | Susan Gray Director, Lake Okeechobee Div.  Susan Gray & Lewis Hornung, Chief Consulting Engineer Susan Gray & Don Fox, Biological Administrator, FFWCC Chuck Aller, Director, Office of Water Policy, DACS Jerry Brooks, Dep. Director, Div. of Water Resources Mgmt., FDEP Susan Gray et. All Susan Gray | 10p<br>10p<br>10p<br>10p<br>10p<br>10p<br>50d |
| 11:20 am<br>11:45 am | <b>4</b> . <b>5</b> . | Phosphorus Worries in Northern<br>Basin<br>Lake Okeechobee Operating Permit   | <u>Paul Parks,</u> Lake Okeechobee<br>Project Manager FWF<br><u>Jerry Brooks,</u> Dep. Director, Div.   | 15p/10d<br>10p/20d                            |
| 12:15 pm             |                       | Lunch   | of Water Resources Mgmt., FDEP  | 60 min.                                       |
| 1:15 pm              | 6.                    | Stage Management for the Lake's Ecology   | <u>Paul Gray,</u> Audubon Society of Florida  | 15p/10d                                       |
| 2:45 pm              | 7.                    | Adaptive Protocols for Lake Okeechobee<br>Operations  | <u>Patricia Strayer,</u> Director,<br>Watershed Management<br>Department  | 30p/50d                                       |
| 4:05 pm              | 8.                    | Update on Revised Supply Side Management Strategy   | <u>Jayantha Obeysekera,</u> Director,<br>Hydrologic Systems Modeling<br>Division  | 15p/15d                                       |
| 4:05                 | 9.                    | <ul><li>Land Acquisition Strategies</li><li>Rural &amp; Family Lands Protection Act</li></ul>   | Ed Kuester, Office of Water Policy, DACS  | 15p/15d                                       |
| 4:35 pm              | 10.                   | Wrap Up/Action Items Summary  | 1 01103, 121100   | 10 min.                                       |
| 4:45 pm              | 11.                   | <b>Public Comment</b>   |   |   |
|                      |                       | Adjournment   |   |   |